

of the Export Administration Act of 1979, as amended, and continued by Executive Order 13222 of August 17, 2001, as extended by the Notice of August 3, 2006; to the Committee on Foreign Affairs.

2258. A letter from the Assistant Secretary for Legislative Affairs, Department of State, transmitting the seventh annual Trafficking in Persons Report, pursuant to Public Law 106-386, section 110; to the Committee on Foreign Affairs.

2259. A letter from the Assistant Secretary for Legislative Affairs, Department of State, transmitting pursuant to section 36(c) of the Arms Export Control Act, certification regarding the proposed technical assistance agreement for the export of technical data, defense services and defense articles to the Government of Canada (Transmittal No. DDTC 061-07); to the Committee on Foreign Affairs.

2260. A letter from the Chief, Regulations and Administrative Law, Department of Homeland Security, transmitting the Department's final rule — Security Zone: Coast Guard Academy Commencement, New London, CT [CGD01-01-049] (RIN: 1625-AA87) received June 13, 2007, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Transportation and Infrastructure.

2261. A letter from the Chief, Regulations and Administrative Law, Department of Homeland Security, transmitting the Department's final rule — Regulated Navigation Area; Atchafalaya River, Berwick Bay, Berwick Bay, LA. [CGD08-06-023] (RIN: 1625-AA11) received June 13, 2007, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Transportation and Infrastructure.

2262. A letter from the Chief, Regulations and Administrative Law, Department of Homeland Security, transmitting the Department's final rule — Special Local Regulation: ULHRA Hydroplane Races, Howard Amon Park, Richland, Washington. [CGD13-07-013] (RIN: 1625-AA00) received June 13, 2007, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Transportation and Infrastructure.

2263. A letter from the Chief, Regulations and Administrative Law, Department of Homeland Security, transmitting the Department's final rule — Drawbridge Operation Regulations; Intracoastal Waterway (ICW); Manasquan River, Brielle, NJ [CGD05-07-056] (RIN: 1625-AA-09) received June 13, 2007, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Transportation and Infrastructure.

2264. A letter from the Chief, Regulations and Administrative Law, Department of Homeland Security, transmitting the Department's final rule — Vessels Carrying Oil, Noxious Liquid Substances, Garbage, Municipal or Commercial Waste, and Ballast Water; Technical, Organizational and Conforming Amendment [USCG-2007-28201] (RIN: 1625-ZA13) received June 13, 2007, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Transportation and Infrastructure.

2265. A letter from the Adjutant General, Veterans of Foreign Wars of the U.S., transmitting proceedings of the 107th National Convention of the Veterans of Foreign Wars of the United States, held in Reno, Nevada, August 26-August 31, 2006, pursuant to 36 U.S.C. 118 and 44 U.S.C. 1332; (H. Doc. No. 110-40); to the Committee on Veterans' Affairs and ordered to be printed.

2266. A letter from the Commissioner, Social Security Administration, transmitting a copy of a draft bill to make amendments to the Old-Age, Survivors, and Disability Insurance program and the Supplemental Security Income program; to the Committee on Ways and Means.

2267. A letter from the Under Secretary for Acquisition, Technology and Logistics, Department of Defense, transmitting the Department's assessment of the FY 2008 President's Budget Request for science and tech-

nology, as required by Section 217 of the John Warner National Defense Authorization Act for Fiscal Year 2007; jointly to the Committees on Armed Services and Science and Technology.

2268. A letter from the Secretary, Department of Health and Human Services, transmitting the Department's FY 2004 report on the Low Income Home Energy Assistance Program (LIHEAP), pursuant to 42 U.S.C. 8629(b); jointly to the Committees on Energy and Commerce and Education and Labor.

2269. A letter from the Deputy Director, Defense Security Cooperation Agency, transmitting the Department's notification of its intention to use unobligated International Military Education and Training (IMET) funds appropriated for Montenegro, pursuant to Public Law 108-447; jointly to the Committees on Foreign Affairs and Appropriations.

## REPORTS OF COMMITTEES ON PUBLIC BILLS AND RESOLUTIONS

Under clause 2 of rule XIII, reports of committees were delivered to the Clerk for printing and reference to the proper calendar, as follows:

Ms. WASSERMAN SCHULTZ: Committee on Appropriations. H.R. 2771. A bill making appropriations for the Legislative Branch for the fiscal year ending September 30, 2008, and for other purposes (Rept. 110-198). Referred to the Committee of the Whole House on the State of the Union.

Mr. HASTINGS (FL): Committee on Rules. House Resolution 498. Resolution providing for consideration of the bill (H.R. 2764) making appropriations for the Department of State, foreign operations, and related programs for the fiscal year ending September 30, 2008, and for other purposes (Rept. 110-199). Referred to the House Calendar.

Mr. CONYERS: Committee on the Judiciary. H.R. 923. A bill to establish an Unsolved Crimes Section in the Civil Rights Division of the Department of Justice, and an Unsolved Civil Rights Crime Investigative Office in the Civil Rights Unit of the Federal Bureau of Investigation, and for other purposes; with an amendment (Rept. 110-200). Referred to the Committee of the Whole House on the State of the Union.

## PUBLIC BILLS AND RESOLUTIONS

Under clause 2 of rule XII, public bills and resolutions were introduced and severally referred, as follows:

By Mr. GEORGE MILLER of California (for himself, Mr. RAHALL, Ms. WOOLSEY, Mr. MURTHA, Mr. KUCINICH, Mr. CHANDLER, Mr. HARE, Mr. BISHOP of New York, Mr. MOLLOHAN, Mr. PAYNE, Mr. HOLT, Mr. SARBANES, and Mr. YARMUTH):

H.R. 2768. A bill to establish improved mandatory standards to protect miners during emergencies, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Education and Labor.

By Mr. GEORGE MILLER of California (for himself, Mr. RAHALL, Ms. WOOLSEY, Mr. MURTHA, Mr. KUCINICH, Mr. CHANDLER, Mr. HARE, Mr. BISHOP of New York, Mr. MOLLOHAN, Mr. PAYNE, Mr. HOLT, Mr. SARBANES, and Mr. YARMUTH):

H.R. 2769. A bill to establish improved mandatory standards to protect and enhance the health of miners; to the Committee on Education and Labor.

By Mr. TOWNS (for himself and Mr. WHITFIELD):

H.R. 2770. A bill to amend title XVIII of the Social Security Act to ensure more appropriate payment amounts for drugs and biologicals under part B of the Medicare Program by excluding customary prompt pay

discounts extended to wholesalers from the manufacturer's average sales price; to the Committee on Energy and Commerce, and in addition to the Committee on Ways and Means, for a period to be subsequently determined by the Speaker, in each case for consideration of such provisions as fall within the jurisdiction of the committee concerned.

By Mr. BRADY of Texas (for himself, Mr. SAM JOHNSON of Texas, Mr. CULBERSON, Mr. PAUL, Mr. HALL of Texas, Ms. GRANGER, Mr. MCCAUL of Texas, Mr. MEEK of Florida, Mr. BURGESS, Mr. POE, Mr. EDWARDS, Mr. MARCHANT, Mr. MCGOVERN, Mr. DELAHUNT, and Mr. HINOJOSA):

H.R. 2772. A bill to amend title II of the Social Security Act to repeal the windfall elimination provision and protect the retirement of public servants; to the Committee on Ways and Means.

By Mr. LAMPSON:

H.R. 2773. A bill to enhance research, development, demonstration, and commercial application of biofuels related technologies, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Science and Technology.

By Ms. GIFFORDS:

H.R. 2774. A bill to support the research, development, and commercial application of solar energy technologies, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Science and Technology.

By Mr. OBERSTAR (for himself and Ms. NORTON):

H.R. 2775. A bill to amend the Robert T. Stafford Disaster Relief and Emergency Assistance Act to authorize funding for emergency management performance grants, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Transportation and Infrastructure.

By Mr. RANGEL (for himself, Mr. LEVIN, Mr. McDERMOTT, Mr. LEWIS of Georgia, Mr. NEAL of Massachusetts, Mr. McNULTY, Mr. TANNER, Mr. BECERRA, Mr. DOGETT, Mr. POMEROY, Mrs. JONES of Ohio, Mr. THOMPSON of California, Mr. LARSON of Connecticut, Mr. EMANUEL, Mr. BLUMENAUER, Mr. KIND, Mr. PASCRELL, Ms. BERKLEY, Mr. CROWLEY, Mr. VAN HOLLEN, Ms. SCHWARTZ, and Mr. DAVIS of Alabama):

H.R. 2776. A bill to amend the Internal Revenue Code of 1986 to provide tax incentives for the production of renewable energy and energy conservation; to the Committee on Ways and Means.

By Mr. BISHOP of Utah (for himself, Mr. CANNON, and Mr. MATHESON):

H.R. 2777. A bill to provide for the acquisition of five isolated parcels of land owned by the State of Utah, under the control of the Utah National Guard, and withdrawn for military use as part of Camp Williams, Utah, in exchange for a consolidated parcel of public land of approximate equal value, also within the boundaries of Camp Williams, necessary for future military mission training; to the Committee on Natural Resources.

By Mrs. LOWEY (for herself, Mrs. MALONEY of New York, Mr. HIGGINS, Mr. TOWNS, Mr. CROWLEY, Mr. KUHLE of New York, Mr. McHUGH, Mr. HALL of New York, Mr. ACKERMAN, Mr. NADLER, Mr. FOSSELLA, Mr. BISHOP of New York, Mr. ENGEL, Ms. CLARKE, and Mrs. GILLIBRAND):

H.R. 2778. A bill to designate the facility of the United States Postal Service located at 3 Quaker Ridge Road in New Rochelle, New York, as the "Robert Merrill Postal Station"; to the Committee on Oversight and Government Reform.

By Mr. MAHONEY of Florida (for himself, Mr. HASTINGS of Florida, Ms. CASTOR, Mr. BOYD of Florida, Mrs. DRAKE, Mrs. DAVIS of California, and Mr. CALVERT):

H.R. 2779. A bill to recognize the Navy UDT-SEAL Museum in Fort Pierce, Florida,

as the official national museum of Navy SEALs and their predecessors; to the Committee on Armed Services.

By Mr. MORAN of Virginia:

H.R. 2780. A bill to amend section 8339(p) of title 5, United States Code, to clarify the method for computing certain annuities under the Civil Service Retirement System which are based on part-time service, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Oversight and Government Reform.

By Mr. RANGEL:

H.R. 2781. A bill to award a congressional gold medal to Ray Charles in recognition of his many contributions to the Nation; to the Committee on Financial Services.

By Mr. REBERG:

H.R. 2782. A bill to amend the Internal Revenue Code of 1986 to extend the deduction for qualified tuition and related expenses; to the Committee on Ways and Means.

By Mrs. TAUSCHER (for herself, Ms.

LEE, Ms. MATSUI, Mr. MCNERNEY, Mrs. NAPOLITANO, Mr. FILNER, Mr. STARK, Mr. GEORGE MILLER of California, Mr. LANTOS, Ms. ESHOO, Ms. ZOE LOFGREN of California, Ms. WOOLSEY, Mr. THOMPSON of California, Mrs. CAPPS, Ms. LINDA T. SANCHEZ of California, Ms. WATSON, and Mr. FARR):

H.R. 2783. A bill to amend title 23, United States Code, to provide for mass transportation services that provide temporary substitute highway traffic service as a result of an emergency; to the Committee on Transportation and Infrastructure.

By Ms. ROS-LEHTINEN (for herself, Mr. LANTOS, Mr. BURTON of Indiana, Mr. ROHRBACHER, Mr. CHABOT, Mr. PENCE, Mr. TANCREDO, Mr. PITTS, and Mr. HONDA):

H. Res. 497. A resolution expressing the sense of the House of Representatives that the Government of the People's Republic of China should immediately release from custody the children of Rebiya Kadeer and Canadian citizen Huseyin Celil and should refrain from further engaging in acts of cultural, linguistic, and religious suppression directed against the Uyghur people, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Foreign Affairs.

By Mr. SMITH of Texas (for himself and Mr. KING of New York):

H. Res. 499. A resolution expressing the sense of the House of Representatives that the Administration should rigorously enforce the laws of the United States to substantially reduce illegal immigration and greatly improve border security; to the Committee on the Judiciary, and in addition to the Committees on Financial Services, and Homeland Security, for a period to be subsequently determined by the Speaker, in each case for consideration of such provisions as fall within the jurisdiction of the committee concerned.

## MEMORIALS

Under clause 3 of rule XII, memorials were presented and referred as follows:

81. The SPEAKER presented a memorial of the Legislature of the State of Louisiana, relative to House Concurrent Resolution No. 83 memorializing the Congress of the United States to take such actions as are necessary to continue the current United States sugar program in the 2007 Farm Bill; to the Committee on Agriculture.

82. Also, a memorial of the Senate of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania, relative to Senate Resolution No. 115 urging the President of the United States and the Congress of the United States to enact legislation to provide additional funding for ALS research; to the Committee on Education and Labor.

83. Also, a memorial of the Senate of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania, relative to Senate Resolution No. 91 urging the President of the United States and the Congress of the United States to fulfill the commitment of the Individuals with Disabilities Education Act to provide resources equal to forty percent of the national average per pupil expenditure for special education students for each Pennsylvania student with special needs; to the Committee on Education and Labor.

## ADDITIONAL SPONSORS

Under clause 7 of rule XII, sponsors were added to public bills and resolutions as follows:

H.R. 21: Ms. CASTOR, Mr. KILDEE, Mr. WEXLER, and Mr. KIND.

H.R. 241: Mr. ENGLISH of Pennsylvania and Mr. JORDAN.

H.R. 293: Mr. CUMMINGS.

H.R. 435: Ms. BERKLEY.

H.R. 550: Mr. PAUL, Ms. HIRONO, Mr. WAXMAN, Mr. MARIO DIAZ-BALART of Florida, Mr. MEEHAN, Mrs. MALONEY of New York, Mrs. GILLIBRAND, and Ms. WOOLSEY.

H.R. 601: Ms. KAPTUR.

H.R. 624: Mr. BLUMENAUER, Mr. ABERCROMBIE, and Ms. SCHAKOWSKY.

H.R. 690: Mr. EVERETT.

H.R. 695: Mrs. MALONEY of New York.

H.R. 715: Mr. LANTOS, Mr. RANGEL, and Mr. MORAN of Virginia.

H.R. 741: Mr. HONDA.

H.R. 767: Mr. FARR.

H.R. 772: Mr. COHEN.

H.R. 777: Mr. HASTINGS of Florida and Mr. STARK.

H.R. 782: Mr. TIM MURPHY of Pennsylvania and Mr. SHULER.

H.R. 822: Mr. KUCINICH.

H.R. 873: Mr. CLEAVER.

H.R. 954: Mr. FOSSELLA and Mr. REYNOLDS.

H.R. 971: Mr. BARROW and Mr. CROWLEY.

H.R. 980: Ms. MOORE of Wisconsin, Mr. SCOTT of Virginia, Mr. KELLER, Mr. JACKSON of Illinois, Mr. NEAL of Massachusetts, Mrs. LOWEY, Mr. HUNTER, Mr. LANGEVIN, Mr. BECERRA, and Mr. LYNCH.

H.R. 983: Mr. BAIRD.

H.R. 989: Mr. SOUDER.

H.R. 1023: Mr. SPACE, Mr. DAVIS of Kentucky, and Mr. BILBRAY.

H.R. 1032: Mr. SALAZAR.

H.R. 1049: Mr. MCCOTTER.

H.R. 1055: Mr. MEEHAN.

H.R. 1105: Mr. SNYDER.

H.R. 1108: Ms. KILPATRICK.

H.R. 1110: Mr. MCDERMOTT.

H.R. 1125: Mr. PICKERING, Mr. HERGER, Mr. DAVIS of Alabama, and Mr. STEARNS.

H.R. 1188: Mr. HONDA.

H.R. 1192: Mr. RAHALL, Mrs. NAPOLITANO, and Mr. BOUCHER.

H.R. 1224: Mr. RAHALL.

H.R. 1245: Mr. BRADY of Pennsylvania.

H.R. 1264: Mr. STUPAK, and Ms. VELÁZQUEZ.

H.R. 1302: Mr. WAXMAN, Mrs. CAPPS, Mr. SHULER, Ms. LEE, Mr. FARR, and Ms. NORTON.

H.R. 1418: Mr. HAYES, Mr. BISHOP of Georgia, Mr. CAPUANO, and Mr. SESSIONS.

H.R. 1422: Ms. GINNY BROWN-WAITE of Florida.

H.R. 1428: Mr. DAVIS of Illinois.

H.R. 1439: Mrs. CAPITO.

H.R. 1459: Mr. SALI, Mr. SNYDER, and Mr. MOLLOHAN.

H.R. 1481: Mr. BRADY of Texas and Mr. FORBES.

H.R. 1498: Mr. HONDA.

H.R. 1527: Mr. PETERSON of Minnesota.

H.R. 1537: Mr. BILIRAKIS.

H.R. 1589: Mr. JOHNSON of Georgia, Mr. CALVERT, and Mr. FILNER.

H.R. 1687: Mr. RYAN of Ohio.

H.R. 1707: Mr. BISHOP of New York and Mr. HILL.

H.R. 1718: Ms. WATSON.

H.R. 1742: Mr. JOHNSON of Illinois.

H.R. 1748: Mr. CARNEY, Mr. PORTER, Ms. ROS-LEHTINEN, Mr. MCGOVERN, and Mr. BRADY of Pennsylvania.

H.R. 1754: Mr. LAMPSON.

H.R. 1818: Mr. LEWIS of Georgia.

H.R. 1823: Ms. NORTON, Mr. JINDAL, and Ms. SLAUGHTER.

H.R. 1845: Mr. WELCH of Vermont, Ms. GINNY BROWN-WAITE of Florida, Mr. SOUDER, Mr. COURTNEY, Mrs. BLACKBURN, Mr. PORTER, Mr. ABERCROMBIE, Mr. ALTMIRE, Mr. RAHALL, Mr. GONZALEZ, Mr. BOUCHER, Mr. CARNEY, Mr. DAVIS of Kentucky, Ms. BERKLEY, and Ms. SUTTON.

H.R. 1852: Mr. ETHERIDGE.

H.R. 1876: Mr. BROWN of South Carolina and Mrs. CHRISTENSEN.

H.R. 1889: Mr. HINCHEY.

H.R. 1924: Mr. BOUSTANY.

H.R. 1926: Mr. COHEN and Mr. BRADY of Pennsylvania.

H.R. 1938: Mr. ELLISON and Mr. SCHIFF.

H.R. 1969: Mr. FEENEY.

H.R. 1971: Mr. PLATTS.

H.R. 1983: Mr. ROTHMAN and Mr. BRALEY of Iowa.

H.R. 2003: Mr. WU.

H.R. 2049: Mr. LEVIN.

H.R. 2052: Mr. GORDON, Mrs. CAPITO, Mr. DAVIS of Illinois, Mr. ISRAEL, Mrs. CAPPS, and Mrs. GILLIBRAND.

H.R. 2060: Mr. HASTINGS of Florida.

H.R. 2063: Mrs. CAPPS, Mr. NEAL of Massachusetts, and Ms. DEGETTE.

H.R. 2108: Mr. RANGEL.

H.R. 2116: Mr. REGULA and Mr. CARNAHAN.

H.R. 2129: Mr. COURTNEY, Mr. WU, and Mr. BISHOP of Georgia.

H.R. 2139: Mr. JONES of North Carolina and Mr. ETHERIDGE.

H.R. 2161: Mr. TIBERI.

H.R. 2165: Mr. ETHERIDGE.

H.R. 2169: Mr. LEVIN.

H.R. 2183: Mr. GOODE, Mr. LAMBORN, Mr. CANTOR, Mr. BURGESS, and Mr. SOUDER.

H.R. 2211: Mr. FARR and Mr. DAVIS of Illinois.

H.R. 2225: Mr. BERMAN.

H.R. 2234: Ms. CARSON, Mr. BISHOP of New York, Mr. KAGEN, and Mr. YOUNG of Alaska.

H.R. 2236: Mr. MORAN of Virginia.

H.R. 2262: Ms. JACKSON-LEE of Texas, Mr. UDALL of Colorado, Mr. WAXMAN, Mr. HONDA, Mrs. CAPPS, Mr. GONZALEZ, and Mr. STARK.

H.R. 2265: Mr. PAYNE and Mr. MEEKS of New York.

H.R. 2289: Ms. WOOLSEY and Ms. LEE.

H.R. 2290: Ms. JACKSON-LEE of Texas.

H.R. 2298: Ms. BERKLEY and Mr. SCHIFF.

H.R. 2303: Mr. BISHOP of New York.

H.R. 2304: Mr. MARSHALL and Mr. SCHIFF.

H.R. 2327: Mr. RAMSTAD and Mr. SCHIFF.

H.R. 2353: Mr. MORAN of Virginia, Mrs. DAVIS of California, and Mr. SMITH of New Jersey.

H.R. 2384: Mr. HOLT and Mr. ALTMIRE.

H.R. 2425: Mrs. CAPITO.

H.R. 2443: Mr. PASTOR, Mrs. BLACKBURN, and Ms. SUTTON.

H.R. 2449: Mr. FRANK of Massachusetts and Mr. GRIJALVA.

H.R. 2477: Mr. PLATTS and Ms. DELAURO.

H.R. 2480: Mr. KAGEN.

H.R. 2481: Mr. KAGEN.

H.R. 2495: Mr. GOODE.

H.R. 2508: Mrs. MUSGRAVE, Mr. BARRETT of South Carolina, and Mrs. BOYDA of Kansas.

H.R. 2526: Mr. NADLER.

H.R. 2537: Mrs. CAPPS, Mrs. MCCARTHY of New York, Mr. SAXTON, and Mr. MEEKS of New York.

H.R. 2538: Mr. BLUMENAUER.

H.R. 2549: Mr. KIND, Mr. BUTTERFIELD, and Mr. LARSON of Connecticut.